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For: EGF RECEPTOR TRANSACTIVATION BY G-PROTEIN-COUPLED RECEPTORS REQUIRES METALLOPROTEINASE CLEAVAGE OF proHB-EGF

- Specification (22 pages) XX
- XX 19 sheets of drawings
- XX Declaration and Power of Attorney

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- A Preliminary Amendment
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Small	<b>Entity</b>
Official	

RATE	FEE	
* *	\$380	or
× 09 =	00	or
× 39 =	00	or
+130 =	00	or
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		\$760
	× 18 =	00
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